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**THE VILLAGE OF TINLEY PARK**  
**Cook County, Illinois**  
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**RESOLUTION**  
**NO. 2022-R-105**

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**A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE WORKERS' RIGHTS AMENDMENT**

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**WHEREAS**, Section 6(a) of Article VII of the 1970 Constitution of the State of Illinois provides that any municipality which has a population of more than 25,000 is a home rule unit, and the Village of Tinley Park, Cook and Will Counties, Illinois, with a population in excess of 25,000 is, therefore, a home rule unit and, pursuant to the provisions of said Section 6(a) of Article VII, may exercise any power and perform any function pertaining to its government and affairs, including, but not limited to, the power adopt resolutions; and

**WHEREAS**, on the November 8th General Election ballot, the proposed Workers' Rights Amendment to the Illinois Constitution will be presented to voters for consideration;

**WHEREAS**, the Amendment would give constitutional protection to the existing right of Illinois' workers to organize and bargain collectively through representatives of their own choosing for the purpose of negotiating wages, hours, and working conditions;

**WHEREAS**, Illinois is a pinnacle of the American Labor Movement with a deep labor history and strong union support to this day;

**WHEREAS**, there has been a concerted effort by corporate interests and some political figures to silence working Americans through relentless attacks on collective bargaining rights and labor unions throughout the country;

**WHEREAS**, all workers should be able to speak out about unsafe conditions without fear of getting fired, if they point out shoddy construction or a hospital cutting corners on patient care;

**WHEREAS**, the Workers' Rights Amendment would protect all of Illinois' first responders and front-line workers so that they can continue to keep us safe;

**WHEREAS**, according to Gallup public opinion research, public approval of unions is at its highest level in six decades, with nearly 70% of Americans supporting the right of workers to organize;

**WHEREAS**, new research published by the Project for Middle Class Renewal at the University of Illinois finds that guaranteeing Illinois workers the fundamental right to collective bargaining would boost wages and improve working conditions for all workers, whether they are union members or not;

**WHEREAS**, our communities and small businesses benefit when workers can join together for good paying jobs;

**WHEREAS**, we believe the Worker's Rights Amendment is long overdue and is in the best interests of Illinois' workers, businesses, and the economy as a whole.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** BY THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF TINLEY PARK, COOK AND WILL COUNTIES, ILLINOIS, STATE AS FOLLOWS:

**SECTION 1:** The foregoing recitals shall be and are hereby incorporated as finding of fact as if said recitals were fully set forth herein.

**SECTION 2:** That we, the President and Village Board of the Village of Tinley Park, Cook and Will Counties, State of Illinois, affirm our support for the Workers' Rights Amendment to be voted upon in the General Election on November 8, 2022.

**SECTION 3:** Any policy, resolution, or ordinance of the Village that conflicts with the provisions of this Resolution shall be and is hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

**SECTION 4:** That this Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its adoption and approval.

PASSED THIS 6<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2022.

AYES: Brady, Brennan, Galante, Mahoney, Mueller, Sullivan

NAYS: None

ABSENT: None

APPROVED THIS 6<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2022.

  
VILLAGE PRESIDENT

ATTEST:

  
VILLAGE CLERK

STATE OF ILLINOIS        )  
COUNTY OF COOK        )     SS  
COUNTY OF WILL        )

CERTIFICATE

I, NANCY O' CONNOR, Village Clerk of the Village of Tinley Park, Counties of Cook and Will and State of Illinois, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of Ordinance No. 2022-R-105, "A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE WORKERS' RIGHTS AMENDMENT," which was passed by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Tinley Park on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2022.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the corporate seal of the Village of Tinley Park this 6<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2022.

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NANCY O' CONNOR, VILLAGE CLERK



**CONTRACT AND DOCUMENT APPROVAL CHECKLIST**

**Ordinance/Resolution No:** 2022-R-105 In Support of Workers Rights Amendment

**Exhibits Attached:** Yes  No

**Contracting Party/Vendor:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Contract Contact Info:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Bid Opening Date (If applicable):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Mylar (Rcvd by Clerk's Office): Y/N - Date Sent for Recording:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date Recorded:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Certificates of Insurance Received:** Yes  No

**Contract Expiration:** Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of Contracting Party received:** Yes  Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Staff Review** Date: \_\_\_\_\_ **Approved Via:** \_\_\_\_\_ **By:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Attorney Review:** Date: \_\_\_\_\_ **Approved Via:** \_\_\_\_\_ **By:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Village Manager Review:** Date: \_\_\_\_\_ **Approved Via:** \_\_\_\_\_ **By:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Committee Review** Date: \_\_\_\_\_ **Committee Type:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Committee Approval** Date: \_\_\_\_\_ **Committee Type:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Village Board Meeting:** Date: 9/6/2022

**Village Board Approval:** Date: \_\_\_\_\_ **Approved:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Denied:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Notes:**